LIBRARY
22 DEC 1962
STATE LEGISLATURE, MADRAS

# THE MADRAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

**Friday, the 2nd November 1962.**

The House met in the Council Chamber, Fort St. George, at three of the clock, Mr. Chairman (THE HON. DR. P. V. CHERIAN) in the Chair.

## I.—QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

## STARRED QUESTIONS.

*Tests for teachers in Government high schools*

* 240 *Q.*—SRI S. K. SAMBANDHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any tests have been prescribed for the teachers in the Government high schools in the State ; and

(*b*) if so, the details thereof ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) & (*b*) No tests have been prescribed for teachers in Government high schools in this State belonging to the category of Pandits and Munshis (Grades I and II), Secondary Grade teachers, Commercial Instructors, and Instructresses, Teachers of Arts, Music and Instructors of diversified courses. But Headmasters, Headmistresses and School Assistants have to pass the following tests :—

(i) Deputy Inspector's Tests.

(ii) Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers, Part I.

(iii) Special Language Tests.

*Schools*

* 241 *Q.*—SRI T. P. SRINIVASAVARADAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state district-war (i) the number of higher elementary schools raised to high schools, (ii) the number of incomplete secondary schools raised to high schools; and (iii) the number of high schools opened, during June and July, 1961 ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : A statement [a] is placed on the table of the House.

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Sir, we may take question 243 also along with question 242.

MR. CHAIRMAN : Yes.

---

[a] Printed as Appendix I on page 88.